



AGENDA

Tuesday April 9, 2024

3:30 P.M.

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1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. BUSINESS FROM THE PUBLIC
 - 1) Creating Housing Coalition-Stacey Bartholomew

Persons wanting to provide comments may:

- 1- *Email written comments to alocia.doyle@albanyoregon.gov including your name, before noon on the day before the meeting.*
- 2- *To comment virtually during the meeting, register by emailing alocia.doyle@albanyoregon.gov before noon on the day before the meeting, with your name. The chair will call upon those who have registered to speak.*

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. March 12, 2024
5. SCHEDULED BUSINESS
 - a. Discussion Items
 - 1) Upcoming Local Art Events-Lohse
 - 2) AI art policy-Lohse
 - 3) Revisit of mural ideas and issues-Bright
 - 4) May Show-Bright
 - 5) Albany Visitors Association and Albany Downtown Association Newsletter-MacGregor
 - b. Action Items
 - 1) City Hall Gallery Artists-Approval of New Submissions

6. BUSINESS FROM THE COMMISSION
7. NEXT MEETING DATE: May 14, 2024
8. ADJOURNMENT

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ALBANY ARTS COMMISSION



MINUTES

Tuesday, March 12, 2024

3:30 p.m.

Hybrid

Approved: Draft

- CALL TO ORDER: Meeting called to order at 3:30 p.m.
- Commissioners present: Leesa Bright, Nolan Streitberger, Carolyn McLeod, Maddie MacGregor, Saundra Alma, Amanda Dant
- Commissioners absent: Keith Lohse
- Staff present: Kim Lyddane, Parks and Recreation Director
- Guests: Eric Ikenouye, Library Director

BUSINESS FROM THE PUBLIC

Eric Ikenouye, Library Director, shared how the Albany Public Library incorporates public art in their facilities. Ikenouye shared about their need to inventory their permanent collection, possible changes to the permanent collection, and willingness to have assistance in finding rotating artists. Brief discussion of possible partnership ideas that include an art sale at the fall Friends of the Library book sale with proceeds to fund new public art for City facilities.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

February 13, 2024

MOTION: MacGregor moved to approve the minutes. Dant seconded the motion, and it passed 6-0.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- a. Upcoming Local Art Events-Lohse
Dant will email staff and Chair about upcoming events.
- b. Fundraising at Linn County Flea Market-MacGregor
MacGregor shared information regarding the event on March 16. Commission discussed volunteer shifts, items available for donation, and event logistics.
- c. Albany Australia Painting- Streitberger
Commission declined to accept the Albany Australia painting as no longer a sister City. The painting will go to the Albany Regional Museum.

- d. Budget- Bright
Bright discussed the budget for the upcoming City Hall Gallery Receptions. Thanks to the Linn County Cultural Coalition Grant, \$140 is available for each of the upcoming nine receptions to cover City Hall security, light refreshments, and possible musical entertainment.
- e. Gallery- Expenses, May Community Show- Bright
Bright requested the purchase acrylic display cases for City Hall to assist with three dimensional pieces. Lyddane to purchase requested acrylic bases before the May Community Show.
- f. First Friday- Bright
MacGregor to send information about the 1st Friday receptions to the Albany Downtown Association and Albany Visitors Association for inclusion in their marketing materials. Dant to purchase and coordinate refreshments for the April reception. All commissioners are eligible to display works in the April Commissioners' Show. Lyddane to circulate volunteer sign up sheets at May meeting for Commissioners to sign up for upcoming receptions.

ACTION ITEMS

- 1) City Hall Gallery Artists- Approval of New Submissions
Brief discussion followed. Motion was made and seconded. Motion passed 6-0.

BUSINESS FROM THE COMMISSION

Streitberger requested further conversation at an upcoming meeting regarding the ease of the online gallery application process. Would like to see an expanded 1,000 word artist statement and improved visibility.

BUSINESS FROM STAFF

Staff will produce an 11x17 poster for the upcoming show and 1st Friday reception. Commissioners can pick up posters for distribution on their own.

NEXT MEETING DATE: Next meeting will be Tuesday, April 9, 2024.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 4:50 p.m.


Submitted by,

Kim Lyddane
Director

Doyle, Alocia

From: City of Albany <no-reply@wufoo.com>
Sent: Saturday, March 9, 2024 1:30 PM
To: Doyle, Alocia
Subject: Call-to-artists for Albany City Hall display space [#98]

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Name or contact for group/guild *	Erin Jimerson
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Primary Phone *	(541) 981-1850
Website	https://erinjimerson.myportfolio.com/artwork
Artist's statement or bio that could be shared in marketing *	Erin Jimerson is a 21-year-old artist that practices painting as a form of worship. She connects with the Lord through prayer as He directs her paintbrush. She approaches her artwork without having a clear vision in mind, observing in wonder as her emotions, fears, and dreams evolve into the finished work through freely flowing brushstrokes.
Estimated total number of pieces in exhibit *	3
Typical size of pieces in exhibit *	Ranges from 8x10, 12x24, 20x20, and potentially 24x36
Months you are available to exhibit in the current year: *	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• May
Are you open to exhibiting with another artist per Albany Arts Commission discretion? *	Yes
Have you displayed work at City Hall in the past? *	No

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From: City of Albany <no-reply@wufoo.com>
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Subject: Call-to-artists for Albany City Hall display space [#101]

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Name or contact for group/guild * Jo Anne Shields

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Address * 
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Albany, OR 97322
United States

Primary Phone * (541) 619-8652

Artist's statement or bio that could be shared in marketing * I retired about 9 years ago and started taking watercolor classes at the senior center in Albany. I have dabbled in oils, acrylics, pastels and alcohol ink. My passion is portraits: human and animal.

Estimated total number of pieces in exhibit * 8

Typical size of pieces in exhibit * 14x20

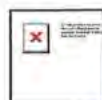
Months you are available to exhibit in the current year: *

- May
- Jun
- Jul
- Aug

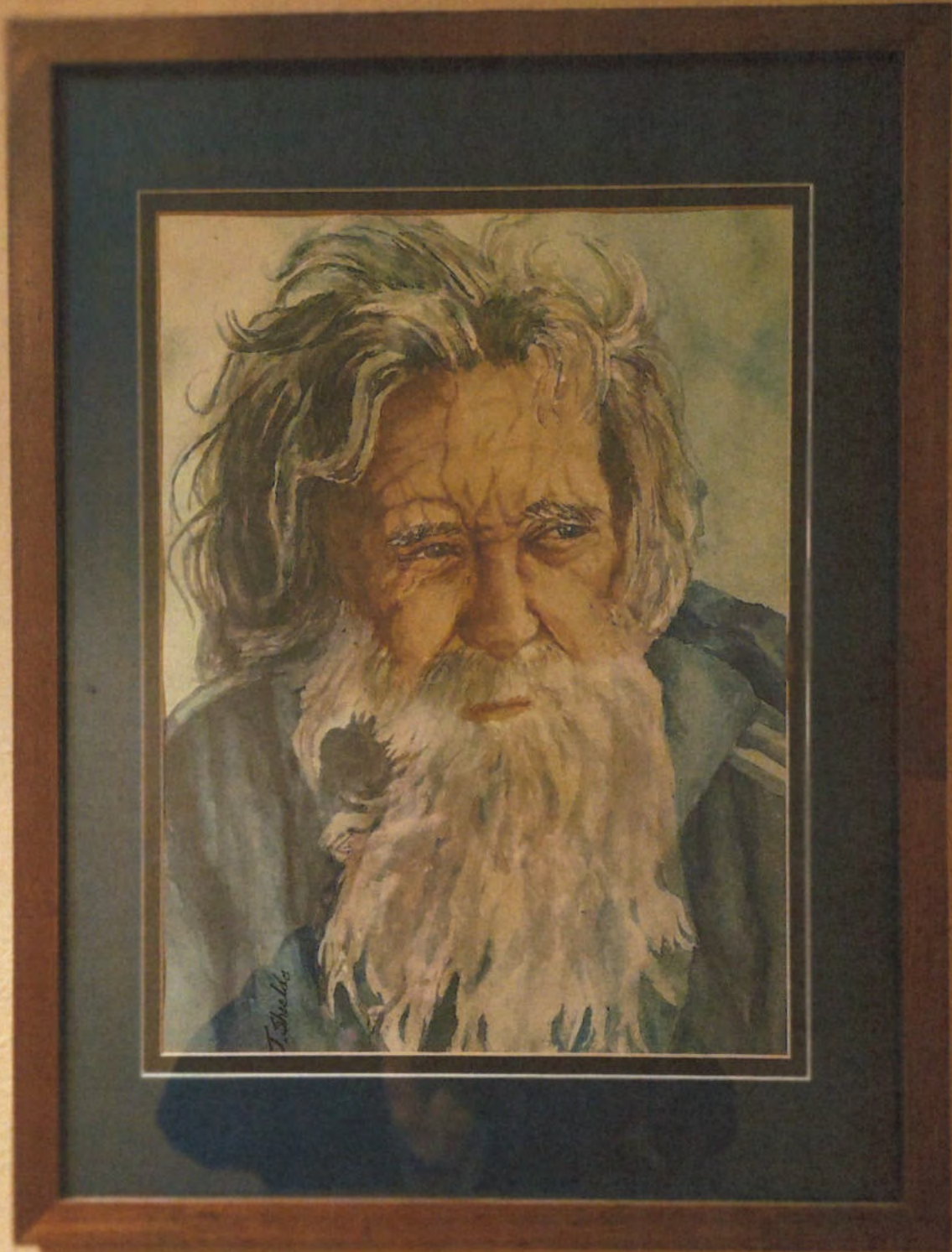
Are you open to exhibiting with another artist per Albany Arts Commission discretion? * Yes

Have you displayed work at City Hall in the past? * No

Sample Image 1 *



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Primary Phone *	(541) 990-8265
Website	http://www.nolanstreitberger.com
Artist's statement or bio that could be shared in marketing *	Nolan is a 2023 Critical Mass Finalist. His work has been selected for recognition by the Smithsonian Photography Awards and the Palm Springs Photo Festival. He been featured with Der Spiegel, Flavorwire, and Edge of Humanity Magazine. He has been exhibited at Blue Sky Gallery, PhotoPlace Gallery, and LoosenArt in Millepiani Gallery in Rome Italy.
Estimated total number of pieces in exhibit *	15
Typical size of pieces in exhibit *	18x20 in
Months you are available to exhibit in the current year: *	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Apr• May
Are you open to exhibiting with another artist per Albany Arts Commission discretion? *	Yes
Have you displayed work at City Hall in the past? *	Yes

Sample Image 7



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Sample Image 7 (title, media, size, year created)

Day 26 - The Claim of Mr Smith, 24x32 in

Sample Image 8

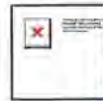


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Sample Image 8 (title, media, size, year created)

Assimilation, 24x48 in

Sample Image 9



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Sample Image 9 (title, media, size, year created)

MMIW #1, oval. 14x20

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2645 Sherman St se
Albany, OR 97322
United States

Primary Phone * (541) 936-5443

Artist's statement or bio that could be shared in marketing * The journey of inner child healing powerful reminder that it's essential, to embrace our true self and that it is safe to be authentic and to be pride in who we are. Our difficult past does not define us – we hold incredible strength and resilience. Let us work towards embracing our inner child, nurturing them with love and acceptance.

Estimated total number of pieces in exhibit * 1


Typical size of pieces in exhibit * 4X4

Months you are available to exhibit in the current year: *

- Jul

Are you open to exhibiting with another artist per Albany Arts Commission discretion? * Yes

Have you displayed work at City Hall in the past? * No


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Name or contact for group/guild *	Jennifer White
Group/guild name	May Albany Community Art Show.
Email *	jenwhitephotographyoregon@gmail.com
Address *	 3098 23RD AVE SE, , Albany Albany, OR 97322 United States
Primary Phone *	(503) 391-9854
Website	http://jenwhitephoto.com
Artist's statement or bio that could be shared in marketing *	I'm a lifelong Oregonian and live in Albany with my husband and the younger two of our four boys. I've loved photography since I was a child, and I feel blessed to have made a career out of something I'm so passionate about. When I'm not behind the lens, I love reading, spending time with my family, and exploring this beautiful state we call home.
Estimated total number of pieces in exhibit *	2
Typical size of pieces in exhibit *	8 by 10 to 10 by 20
Months you are available to exhibit in the current year: *	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• May
Are you open to exhibiting with another artist per Albany Arts Commission discretion? *	Yes




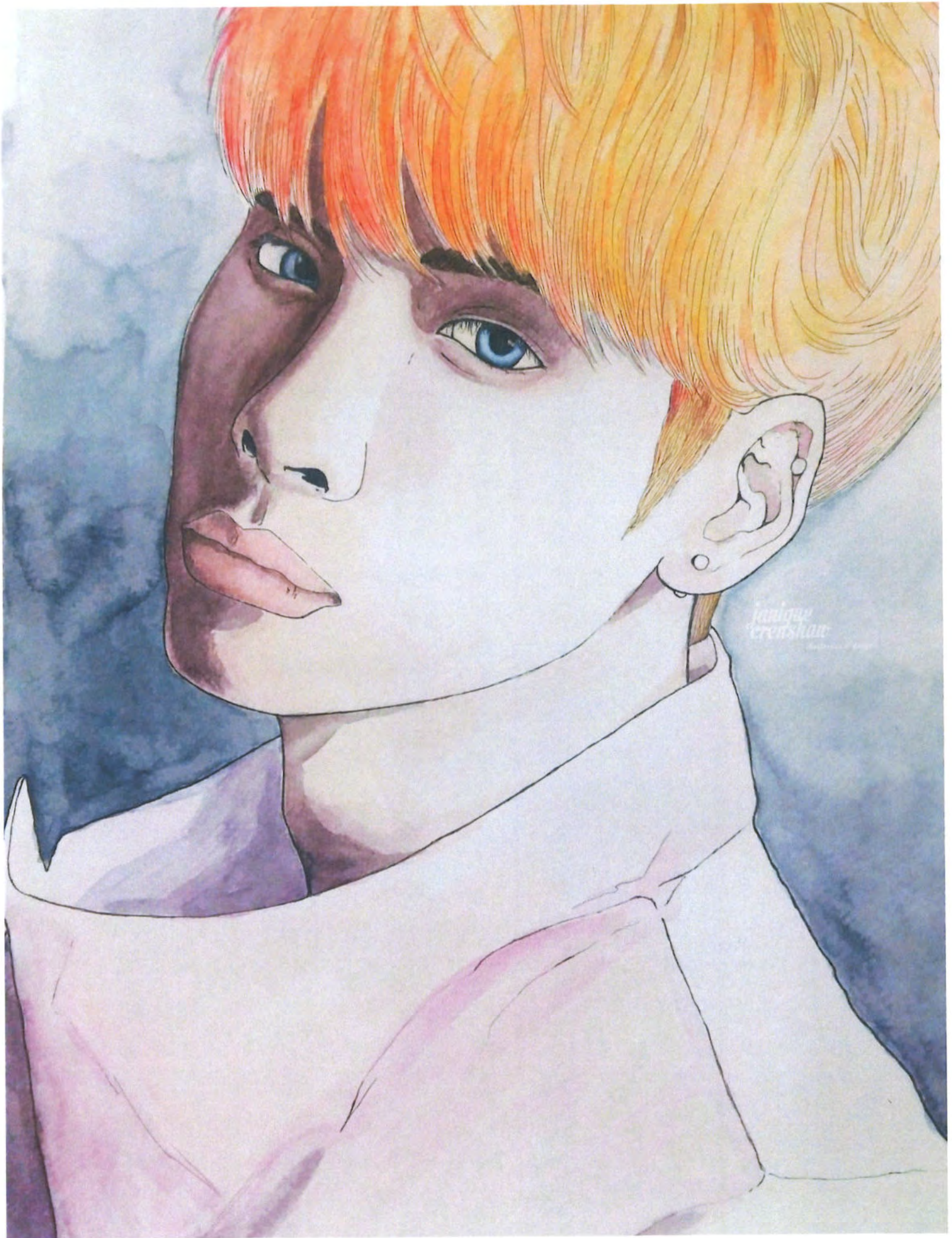


Doyle, Alocia

From: City of Albany <no-reply@wufoo.com>
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To: Doyle, Alocia
Subject: Call-to-artists for Albany City Hall display space [#110]

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Name or contact for group/guild *	Janique Crenshaw
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Primary Phone *	(504) 405-6476
Website	http://www.janiquecrenshaw.com
Artist's statement or bio that could be shared in marketing *	Janique Crenshaw (she/her) is an Oregon-based queer artist specializing in digital and traditional art, including watercolor, gouache, and ink portraits incorporating decorative paper tapes. Her work is heavily influenced by K-pop, anime and nerd popular culture. She is passionate about mental wellness and supporting QTBIPOC artists/creators.
Estimated total number of pieces in exhibit *	3
Typical size of pieces in exhibit *	11x17
Months you are available to exhibit in the current year: *	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jun
Are you open to exhibiting with another artist per Albany Arts Commission discretion? *	Yes
Have you displayed work at City Hall in the past? *	No






Doyle, Alocia

From: City of Albany <no-reply@wufoo.com>
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Name or contact for group/guild *	Sharon Prenoveau
Email *	sprenoveau@live.com
Address *	 37274 Fawn Drive 97355, Lebanon, OR, OR 97355 United States
Primary Phone *	(541) 990-4472
Secondary Phone	(541) 258-8977
Artist's statement or bio that could be shared in marketing *	Painting from the comfort of my home is not just a hobby, it's my sanctuary. Each stroke of oil or acrylics brings relaxation and joy, offering a glimpse into my creative world. I have also really enjoyed painting on several animals at the Historical Carousel in Albany, Oregon.
Estimated total number of pieces in exhibit *	4
Typical size of pieces in exhibit *	11x14
Months you are available to exhibit in the current year: *	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• May
Are you open to exhibiting with another artist per Albany Arts Commission discretion? *	Yes
Have you displayed work at City Hall in the past? *	No

